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the
 following numbers of freight cars were available in East Germany
 on 31 March 1954:

Type	Number
G	34533
GG	614
T	1083
KKt	49
K	2019
V	131
Total	38429

Type	Number
O	64969
OO	396
OOt	186
Total	65551

R	10065
RR	1700
Total	11765

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Comment. The present report supplements previous information
According to
the two reports, the following total numbers of standard-gauge
freight cars were available on 31 March 1954:

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Type	Number	
S, SS	4207)	
H	1009)	
Railroad service cars	4517)	
X, XX	3965)	
G, T, K, V	38429)	For explanation of type
O, OO	65551)	designations, see below
R, RR	11765)	
Total	129443	

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The following numbers of freight cars of the types mentioned in the
present report were available on 1 January 1954:

Type	Number	To Be Deactivated	To Be Newly Manufactured in 1954
G	34029	436	0
GG	232	8	800
T	1049	7	220
KKT	43	0	25
K	1995	40	100
V	131	0	0
O	66337	2356	0
OO	402	8	700
OOt	186	0	0
R	10085	200	0
RR	1700	0	0

Explanation of type designations:

G-type cars: Two-axle boxcars, load capacity 15 tons
GG-type cars: Four-axle boxcars, load capacity 50 tons
(Grossraumgueterwagen)
T-type cars: Two-axle refrigerator cars, load
capacity 15 tons
Kkt-type cars: Four-axle self-tipping cars with hinged
covers and funnels, minimum load capacity
30 tons
V-type cars: Two-axle partitioned cars with two stories
for the transportation of small livestock
O-type cars: Two-axle gondola cars with wooden sidewalls
100 to 190 cm high, load capacity 15 tons
OO-type cars: Four-axle O-type cars, load capacity 30 tons

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OOt-type cars:

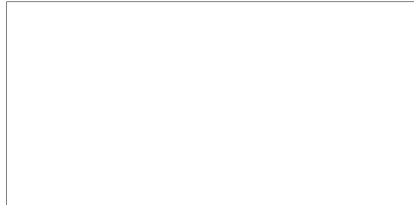
OO-type self-tipping cars

R-type cars :

Two-axle flatcars with sideracks, removable front and rear walls, 40 cm high, minimum useful length 9.9 meters, load capacity 15 tons

RRy-type cars:

Usually called RRym-type cars; six-axle flatcars with iron sideracks, load capacity 80 to 90 tons, useful length 14 to 16 meters; this type of car has been built since 1952 and is used for tank shipments.



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